

## EWA TAXES REDUCED

By far the most important decision given by the Board of Tax Appeals was rendered this morning for by it, the Assessor's valuation of the Ewa Plantation Company's property is reduced by exactly \$1,045,000.

The assessor was sustained in his valuation of the Apokaa property at \$52,280 and of the Oahu Railway & Land Co. at \$240,000.

Following are the figures:

Ewa Plantation Co., Ltd.:	
Assessed at.....	\$5,445,000
Returned at.....	4,000,000
Fixed at.....	4,000,000
Apokaa Sugar Co., Ltd.:	
Assessed at.....	\$52,280
Returned at.....	45,500
Fixed at.....	52,280
Oahu R. & L. Co.:	
Assessed at.....	\$240,000
Returned at.....	no value
Fixed at.....	240,000

"Ewa Plantation Company: Following the basis outlined by the Supreme Court in its decision shown in 15 Hawaiian the following is the basis for assessment:

Market value of stock, Jan. 1, 1904 250,000 shares at \$20 per share..... \$5,000,000  
Deducting 20 per cent..... 1,000,000  
\$4,000,000  
Adding outstanding bonds..... 400,000  
\$4,400,000  
"Apokaa Sugar Co., Ltd.: The court sustains the Assessor in his assessment of \$52,280.  
"Oahu Railway & Land Co., Ltd.: The court sustains the Assessor in his assessment of \$240,000.  
The Assessor will appeal the Ewa case to the Supreme Court.

## WILL OPERATE FOR APPENDICITIS

SON OF FORMER JUDGE HOARE TAKEN FROM KAMEHAMEHA SCHOOL TO THE HOSPITAL.

Master Tommy Hoare, the ten-year-old son of former Judge Hoare, was removed from the Kamehameha Preparatory School this morning to the Queen's Hospital for an operation for appendicitis. Through the kindness of Deputy High Sheriff Rawlins the child was removed in the patrol wagon which made the ride much easier for the child, than would have been the case in almost any other conveyance in the city. Master Hoare was suffering greatly but stood the pain bravely.

**LAST TWO GIFT DAYS.**  
Friday and Saturday will be gala days at Sachs' Dressed dolls will be given away with dollar purchases. Climbing monkeys and crying balloons will also be given away.

**OPEN EVENINGS.**  
The great Santa Claus Emporium at Wall, Nichols will remain open every evening from now until Christmas Eve. The rush is now on. Buy early.

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The Twenty-Ninth Series of Stock in the Pioneer Building & Loan Association was issued in July, 1904, and is now open for subscription. The membership fee is fifty cents per share, and the monthly fees are one dollar per month per share. The stock draws much better interest than a savings bank.  
Further information can be obtained from A. V. Gear, Secretary, 122 King street.

## CARTER'S VIEWS

Governor Carter has written a letter to the Republican Central Committee outlining his views on the activity shown by Government officials in politics.

Just what the Governor states in his letter is for the present his own secret as the letter from him had not reached the Central Committee up to a late hour this afternoon.

"No," said the Governor, "I am not at all averse to making my sentiments known on this question. Since I have written the Central Committee however it is simply a matter of courtesy to the committee to refrain from making the letter public unless it wishes. If the committee cares to do so I have no objection."

Since Governor Carter even encouraged Attorney General Andrews and others in the active work they did at the last election there can be little doubt as to where he stands on the question.

### PRACTICED LAW HERE.

Frederick J. Russell who formerly practiced law in Honolulu, is defendant in a suit in Oakland, brought by L. Jeannie and John de Souza to annul a contract whereby Russell was to receive as compensation for his services and advances made by him, half of what should be recovered from the estate of the woman's uncle, James Scobie. The amount recovered was \$11,149.

## PRACTICE TOWER FOR FIREMEN

COMMISSIONER BERG WANTS TO HAVE ONE IN ORDER TO TEACH FIRE FIGHTERS THE HIGH DIVE

Impressed with what he saw at San Francisco, Fire Commissioner Arthur Berg is anxious to have the Public Works Department erect a practice tower for the use of the firemen of Honolulu. Such towers afford means for firemen to get practical use of all their apparatus such as scaling ladders and jumping nets and are undoubtedly of the greatest value to a department. Superintendent Holloway has the matter under consideration.

A matter which will be put up to the fire marshal in a few days will be the carrying out of certain laws respecting his duties which still remain on the statute book. Under these obsolete regulations he is expected to examine at stated periods every fireplace, stove and flue in Honolulu and it is doubtful if this has been done for years. If the old act is now unnecessary it will be repealed.

### FORBES-WILLIAMSON.

Invitations have been issued to the wedding of Miss Frances Mary Williamson to Donald McHattie Forbes, which takes place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Moir on Thursday, December 29th. The ceremony will be at 11 o'clock, and after a wedding breakfast the couple will go immediately to Honolulu, where Mr. Forbes is head luma of the Honokaa plantation. Miss Fanny Moir will be the maid of honor.

Relief After Six Years—Mrs. M. A. Clark, of Timberrange, N. S. W., Australia, writes: "I wish to inform you of the wonderful benefit I have received from your valuable medicines. I suffered from a severe cough for six years and obtained no relief until I took Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. One bottle cured me and I am thankful to say that I have never had the cough since. Make any use of this letter that you like for the good of any other poor sufferers." For sale by all dealers, Benson Smith & Co., agents for Hawaii street.

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## NAN PATTERSON



NAN PATTERSON FROM A SHAPNOT PHOTO TAKEN BY YOUNG HERSELF AT LOS ANGELES.

(Associated Press Cable to The Star).  
NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—The jury in the Nan Patterson case after being out all night could not reach a verdict and were discharged today. The woman was accused of the murder of Caesar Young.

The trial of Nan Patterson for the murder of "Caesar" Young, the well known book-maker and all-round sport is proving one of the most sensational legal events of the day. Nan Patterson, or Randolph, is a particularly beautiful woman. She came west as one of the "Pretty Maidens" in the first Florodora company that visited San Francisco. There she met Young and he became infatuated with her. On more than one occasion he left his wife and home to be with the Patterson woman and once he announced that he had gone with her finally. His friends managed to get him back and after a wild time in Los Angeles he returned to his wife who forgave him. It was thought that a trip to Europe might break him from the girl and he was booked to sail with his wife from New York. Nan Patterson was also in New York and on the very morning that the ship was to sail Young left his wife saying that he wanted to buy a hat and would meet her on the dock. He joined the Patterson woman and the two were driving down Broadway in a hack when Young was shot. Nan Patterson was arrested and charged with murder, but her claim is that Young shot himself after telling her that he could not face life without her. A determined attempt is being made to fix the crime on her. The present trial is the second, the first being unfinished on account of the illness of a juror.

## ANNUAL REPORT OF WAILUKU

THIS OLD ESTABLISHED SUGAR ESTATE GIVES ACCOUNT OF ITS AFFAIRS TO ITS STOCKHOLDERS

The annual reports to the stockholders of the Wailuku Sugar Company have just been published. Manager C. B. Wells thus tells the stockholders of the conditions of the crop.

The cane of this crop was raised under unfavorable conditions. The winter months were cold and wet and the cane suffered from the ravages of the leaf-hopper. I expected 7,800 tons of sugar, but on account of the above conditions, the output was 6,450 tons, a shortage of 1,350 tons sugar.

In consequence of the shortage, the cost of production per ton of sugar was increased. The cost of Crop 1903 was \$32.46 and for Crop 1904, \$40.03, an increase of \$6.57 per ton of sugar.

Crop 1905—The season for this crop has been favorable, excepting a shortage of water for the past two and a half months. The cane has suffered but little from the leaf-hopper. The output should be 7,500 tons.

Crop 1906—Was planted early, has come up unusually well, and is well advanced. With a good supply of water the prospects are very promising for a large crop.

Labor supply has been good throughout the year.

The acreage for the Crop of 1905 is 968.28 acres of plant and 314.03 acres of long ratoons. The acreage for the Crop of 1906 is 994.69 acres of plant and 283.68 acres of long ratoons.

The total realizations for the year were \$391,066.77. The total operating expenses, Crop of 1904, were \$390,399.96. A dividend of 9 per cent was paid during the year. The total assets are \$1,089,515.85; the capital stock is \$700,000.

### CHRISTMAS AT THE JAIL.

The usual Christmas feast will be provided for the inmates of the Oahu Prison on Sunday. The feast will follow the Christmas services in the afternoon. The prisoners at the police station will also be given a special meal on Christmas.

### FOR POSTMISTRESS.

HILO, Dec. 20.—A petition endorsing Miss Jennie Marlin for postmistress is being circulated and bears the signatures of many responsible business houses.

### SUING TOM BEEN.

Allen & Robinson have commenced suit against Tom Been as defendant and H. C. A. Peterson as garnishee for \$563.17 for goods delivered. It is alleged in the complaint that Peterson has in his possession property of value which may be attached in the case.

### ALL STRICTLY NEW.

1900 Xmas books for old and young lately received, and our store all strictly new this season. Arfshlag & Co.

## Jobbers Cut Prices

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—The four jobbers who withdrew from the Loveland local refined sugar trust and will handle the Honolulu Plantation product of refined sugar, have cut the price of granulated sugar to 5 1-2 cents.

## MORE FILIPINO TREACHERY

MANILA, P. I., Dec. 23.—Pufajane have ambushed and killed a lieutenant and 37 of the native scouts in the Samar district.

## RUSSIANS MOVING SOUTHWARD

MUKDEN, Dec. 23.—The Russian forces have advanced the siege guns to a point four miles south of Mukden.

## BATTLING NELSON CRIES SWINDLE

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—"Batling" Nelson, who lost the decision to Jimmy Britt last Wednesday night, has accused Manager Murphy and Eddie Santry, his sparring partner, of embezzling \$7,271 belonging to Nelson. Both of the accused have been arrested.

### JAPANESE REPULSE RUSSIAN ATTACKS.

OKU'S HEADQUARTERS, Dec. 23.—Several Russian attacks have been repulsed by the Japanese forces.

### MAY REOPEN SUGAR REBATE CASE.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—The sugar rebate case will probably be reopened.

### LONDON BEETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 22.—The London price of 88 analysis beets this day is 14 shillings. The last previous quotation was December 21, 14 shillings, 2 1-4 pence.

## KENAKE PUT FORWARD FOR POSTMASTER

INTERESTING LETTER REGARDING THE POSTMASTERSHIP FIGHT IN HONOLULU SECURED FROM CHAIRMAN OF SENATE COMMITTEE ON COAST DEFENCES—DELEGATE KALANIANAOLE WILL PROBABLY HAVE NAMING OF THE POSTMASTER.

In response to a letter addressed to United States Senator John H. Mitchell of Oregon the chairman of the Senate Committee on Coast Defences in which L. T. Kenake was endorsed as postmaster to succeed J. M. Oat, C. H. Brown has received a letter from Senator Mitchell regarding the post master situation. The following excerpts from Senator Mitchell's letter relating to postmastership, is of special local interest:

"I note your cordial endorsement for postmaster at Honolulu, of your friend

Louis T. Kenake, who has been assistant postmaster for the last four years. Under the present rules and regulations of this administration, the department as a rule and the president, look to the representative or delegate from the district for endorsements for postmasters. In this case in all probability your delegate "Cupid" will have the naming of the postmaster at Honolulu. Possibly things might get in such a shape that I might put in a good word for your friend, but his application should be made to the delegate.

## WHEN FUSHIMI COMES AGAIN

General Prince Fushimi of Japan who received so great an ovation when he passed through here on his way to Washington, will return on the steamer which reaches here on January 3. It is not known officially whether he will travel in state this time or whether he will wish to preserve an incognito. "I do not know what ceremonies there will be on the arrival of Prince Fushimi," said Governor Carter this morning, "but in any event I shall be only too glad to join with any plans that the Japanese consulate may formulate to show the greatest respect to the visitor."

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SIERRA	JAN. 15		SONOMA	JAN. 17	
*ALAMEDA	JAN. 27		*ALAMEDA	FEB. 1	
SONOMA	FEB. 3		VENTURA	FEB. 7	
*ALAMEDA	FEB. 17		*ALAMEDA	FEB. 22	
VENTURA	MAR. 1		SIERRA	FEB. 28	
*ALAMEDA	MAR. 10		*ALAMEDA	MAR. 15	
SIERRA	MAR. 23		SONOMA	MAR. 21	
*ALAMEDA	MAR. 31		*ALAMEDA	APR. 5	
SONOMA	APR. 12		VENTURA	APR. 11	
*ALAMEDA	APR. 21		*ALAMEDA	APR. 26	
VENTURA	MAY 3		SIERRA	MAY 2	
*ALAMEDA	MAY 12		*ALAMEDA	MAY 17	
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*ORANGI	JAN. 14	MOWERA	JAN. 11
MOWERA	FEB. 11	MOANA	FEB. 8
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CHINA	NOV. 1	COPTIC	NOV. 5
*DORIC	NOV. 16	KOREA	NOV. 19
COPTIC	DEC. 3	GALIC	NOV. 26
*KOREA	DEC. 10	SIBERIA	NOV. 30
*GALIC	DEC. 20	MONGOLIA	DEC. 10
SIBERIA	DEC. 24	CHINA	DEC. 24

1905.		1905.	
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## SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

(For additional and later shipping see pages 4, 5, or 8.)

First Quarter of the Moon Dec. 14th.

Date	High Tide	Low Tide	Small	Large	Small	Large	Small	Large	Small	Large
19	1.42	1.7	1.07	7.05	8.30	6.32	5.23	5.42		
20	2.20	1.9	1.57	7.43	9.14	6.33	5.23	4.34		
21	2.54	2.0	2.43	8.22	9.55	6.33	5.24	5.29		
22	3.30	2.1	3.20	9.00	10.32	6.34	5.24			
23	4.08	2.3	4.17	9.40	11.13	6.34	5.25	6.49		
24	4.47	2.3	5.07	10.22	11.55	6.35	5.25	7.47		

Times of the tide are taken from the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey tables. The tides at Honolulu and Hilo occur about one hour earlier than at Honolulu. Hawaiian standard time is 10 hours 30 minutes slower than Greenwich time, being that of the meridian of 157 degrees 30 minutes. The time whistle blows at 1:30 p. m., which is the same as Greenwich, 4 hours, 0 minutes. The Sun and moon are for local time for the whole group.

U. S. Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

The following data, covering a period of 27 years, have been compiled from the Weather Bureau and McKibbin records at Honolulu, T. H. They are issued to show the conditions that have prevailed, during the month in question, for the above period of years, but must not be construed as a forecast of the weather conditions for the coming month.

Month December for 27 years.

Temperature. (1890-1903, inclusive.)

Mean or normal temperature, 72.

The warmest month was that of 1891, with an average of 74.

The coldest month was that of 1902, with an average of 71.

The highest temperature was 84 on December 2, 1890.

The lowest temperature was 55 on December 30, 1900.

Precipitation (rain) (1877-1893.)

Average for the month, 3.59 inches.

Average number of days with .01 of an inch or more, 14.

The greatest monthly precipitation was 8.86 inches in 1879.

The least monthly precipitation was 1.17 inches in 1888.

The greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 consecutive hours was 4.30 inches on December 23, 1879.

Clouds and weather. (1885-1903.)

Average number of clear days, 12; partly cloudy days 14; cloudy days, 5.

Wind. (1885-1903.)

The prevailing winds have been from the northeast.

Station: Honolulu, T. H.

Date of issue: November 29, 1904.

ALEX. McC. ASHLEY, Weather Bureau.

Note: Only precipitation data taken from the McKibbin record.

### ARRIVING.

Friday, December 22.

Schr. Mokihana, from Kailua, at 7 a. m.

Stmr. Mauna Loa, Simerson, from Lahaina, Maalaea, Kona and Kau ports at 5:41 a. m.

Stmr. Noeau, Tulett, from Kaula ports at 2:35 a. m. with 4,200 bags sugar.

S. S. Siberia, Smith, from San Francisco at 9:45 a. m.

U. S. S. Solace, Bull, from San Francisco, due.

S. S. China, Friele, from the Orient, due.

Saturday, December 24.

Stmr. Kinau, Freeman, from Hilo and way ports, due in forenoon.

Stmr. W. G. Hall, S. Thompson, from Kaula ports, due.

Stmr. Likelike, Naopala, from Lanai, Maui and Molokai ports, due.

Sunday, December 25.

Stmr. Claudine, Parker, from Maui ports, due early in morning.

### DEPARTING.

Friday, December 23.

S. S. Siberia, Smith, for the Orient and Manila, at 5 p. m.

Saturday, December 24.

S. S. China, Friele, for San Francisco, probably sail in forenoon.

### PASSENGERS.

Arriving.

Per S. S. Siberia, December 23, from San Francisco, for Honolulu: Mrs. S. L. King, J. L. Morgan, R. G. Gunning and wife, J. S. Martin, W. D. Alexander, Miss A. M. Alexander, Miss J. M. Alexander, Mrs. M. F. Armstrong and child, Mrs. C. A. Bartlett, Mrs. Q. H. Berry, Mrs. E. F. Bishop, Mrs. Alice M. Bond, Mrs. F. E. Chamberlain, J. A. Cranston, Mrs. J. A. Cranston, J. F. Crowe, Mrs. J. F. Crowe, Mrs. D. G. Drake, Miss H. Drake, A. Dreier, Mrs. A. Dreier, Miss A. Dreier, Mrs. V. Follett, T. F. Fortune, Mrs. J. Fortune, D. A. Fox, Mrs. D. A. Fox, Harold S. Gilbert, H. Gimmini, Mrs. Gino, Miss May D. Green, J. F. Hackfeld, Charles H. Hamilton, R. L. Hansburg, Mrs. R. L. Hansburg, A. H. Harding, Mrs. A. H. Harding, C. Hedeman, Mrs. C. Hedeman, Howard Hedeman, J. H. Love, C. M. Lovsted, A. L. Lovison, Mrs. P. C. Lyner and infant, H. M. Moffatt, Mrs. H. M. Moffatt and child, Mrs. J. E. Myers, S. Pelzer, J. F. Hull and wife, Miss L. E. Perkins, Miss Rowena Reed, Mrs. Melton Rice, Miss L. Roseworn, Rev. Dr. Scudder, Mrs. Dr. Scudder, Mrs. F. E. Thompson and infant, Mrs. Jane Walker, Miss Elsie Waterhouse, Miss L. Wells, Mrs. R. E. Zumwalt, Mark Green.

Per stmr. Mauna Loa, December 23, from Kaula ports—George H. Robertson, George M. Robertson, D. K. Waller, and wife, S. Malbare, Sugaoka San, Miss de Carmo, Miss de Lima, C. G. White; from Kona ports, Miss Jules Antonio, C. J. Willis, W. H. Babbitt, W. A. Wall, D. Kaupake and brother; from Maui ports, J. H. Meyers and wife, W. Schultz, James T. Taylor, H. G. Hen-

(Additional Shipping on Page 7.)

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Degradation of the marriage tie, as illustrated in the life of Mrs. Grace Snell-Layman, a daughter of the millionaire A. J. Snell who was murdered.



MRS. GRACE-SNELL-WALKER-LAYMAN

who has just been granted her fifth divorce, was denounced by the Chicago Judges, and a general law to safeguard the sanctity of the marital relations was urged.

"This woman's career has been a rank travesty on marriage and the sacredness of its obligations," said Judge Brentano. "By five quick marriages and divorces she has shown her utter inability to appreciate the sanctity of the marriage tie."

"This dragging of the sacred things of life through the mire cannot but arouse the liveliest indignation in right-minded men."

"Mrs. Snell or Layman or whatever her last name is at present has turned marriage life into opera bouffe," said Judge Mack. "It is wrong, absurd, outrageous, of course, but there is no help for it as the law stands. Mrs. Layman can marry again as soon as she can."

fear of being construed as assailing a woman."

Mrs. Layman was married first when she was 16 years of age to Frank Coffin, a dancing master. She got a divorce, and married him a second time at the solicitation of her son, now dead. The second venture ended in divorce also, but having acquired the habit of marrying him, she married him a third time. Again she tired of him, got her third divorce and married a man named Walker, who claimed her as his wife for one year. After divorcing Coffin for the third time the woman left her beautiful homes at Antioch and Racine, Wis., and betook herself to Riverside, Cal., where she has since resided.

Layman was a clerk in the hotel at Los Angeles where the woman stopped. She is under 40 and still pretty. She is said to be contemplating a sixth marriage.

## BERTLEMAN IS HELD TO ANSWER

THREE WITNESSES TESTIFY THAT HE REPRESENTED HIMSELF AS FEDERAL OFFICER.

F. C. Bertelmann appeared before U. S. Commissioner Judd yesterday in custody on the charge of having personated a United States officer. A preliminary case was made out against him and he was accordingly held to stand trial in the District Court on January 25. In default of bail of \$1500 he was remanded to jail.

Mrs. Oerth of the Delmonico hotel testified that he had taken a room there and had not paid for it. He had claimed to be in the U. S. Revenue department. "Two Chinese swore that they had paid him money as he had said that he was a revenue officer and that he would be able to change their registration certificates to make them appear as merchants, instead of laborers and thus be able to go to the United States."

Bertelmann stated that he had merely gone to the men as the agent for the directory.

## FRANCA VS. FRANCA.

Franca against Franca, a suit for final division of property between a husband and wife legally separated, occupied Judge Robinson yesterday afternoon. The wife was allowed \$40 a month by the court but recently he has been paying only \$16 a month. A division of the property has now been suggested. The case was continued until this afternoon.

## SPANISH WAR VETERANS.

Theodore Roosevelt Camp No. 1, Department of Hawaii, United Spanish War Veterans, has elected the following as officers for the ensuing year:

Commander, Paul Smith; Senior Vice Commander, Otto Schwerdtfeger; Junior Vice Commander, George Beazley; Officer of the Day, R. N. Spencer; Officer of the Guard, L. E. Twomey; Chaplain, G. H. Guntler; Adjutant, R. H. Long; Quartermaster, H. T. Moore. Sol. N. Sheridan now of Honolulu was elected an honorary member of the Camp. He was present in the Philippines as a newspaper correspondent, passing through here on the Charleston in 1898.

## LEPER APPEARS IN COURT ROOM

MRS. MIKALA KAIPU IS BROUGHT UP FROM THE DETENTION STATION ON HABEAS CORPUS WRIT

For probably the first time since the dreadful scourge of leprosy appeared in the Hawaiian Islands a person who is afflicted with the disease came into an open court room yesterday. The woman was Mrs. Mikala Kaipu, whose daughter Emma Kaipu is making such a determined attempt to save her from life-long exile at the Molokai settlement. She was brought into the U. S. District Court before Judge Dole and listened to the evidence of doctors which seems probable to consign her to the lazaretto. She is an intelligent looking native woman of middle age and there are at all events no outward or visible signs that she must be classed among the unfortunates.

Attorney C. W. Ashford appeared to press for a writ of habeas corpus, the Board of Health and President Pinkham being represented by Attorney General Andrews. Among the medical men who were in court to testify were Doctors Mays, Moore, Sinclair, Herbert Macdonald and Cooper.

Dr. Moore who was first called testified that the woman had leprosy. It had developed on the arms he said. He had made an exhaustive examination and had examined the bacillus under the microscope. There was no doubt in his mind as to her condition. The doctor was submitted to a severe cross-examination by counsel being made to describe the leprosy bacillus and to trace the different forms of the disease.

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### The Zemstvo And The Czar

Russia continues to astonish the nations. There was never such a spectacle as this one of a nation fighting a death struggle in the far East, thousands of miles from the heart of the empire, and yet a struggle which does vitally concern the life of the empire; and fighting a battle in the heart of the empire, in St. Petersburg itself, that the Nation, if not the empire, may endure. France in its most nervous days, when constitutions and codes were being made at home in the name of the empire, and battles were being fought for the empire in the snows of Russia, never presented quite such a spectacle, so fraught with good or ill to the mighty nation it concerns.

But the struggle at home is infinitely fuller of meaning. And that zemstvo meeting in St. Petersburg is infinitely more important than a final Liaoyang or the fall of Port Arthur. The meeting in itself was impossible—until it happened. Not an imagination in the world could conceive it. There, in the heart of the most autocratic, and what is more threatening, the most bureaucratic nation ever known to man, outside of the African jungles, are met representatives of the people, demanding a constitutional government, a legislative body, equal rights for all, and—more important—it meets without the red smirch of socialism, meets in order, considers and debates in order, and is granted protection by the minister of the interior himself, and merits the protection. Could Kennan imagine this, could Kropotkin, could Tolstoi himself? It is the political phenomenon of the twentieth century. The Russian people have been born into freedom. Hark to the bomb which was flung under the hurrying carriage of the coward and the oppressor last August, and then, to this steady, controlled, but insistent voice of the zemstvo, which, after all, is the voice of Sviatopolk-Mirsky. That Mirsky should succeed Plehve is a phenomenon only second to the orderly meeting of a representative body demanding a constitution for Russia; and it is the phenomenon on which the greater phenomenon depends.

It is true that Russia is not ready for a constitution. And yet, when this intelligent representative body at St. Petersburg is considered, it almost seems that we are mistaken in denying constitutional ability for Russia. But those fettered millions are ready for a visible equality which shall bring true equality, or what is better, opportunity to manifest true individual differences, from the muzhik to the prince. Russia needs this assembly, if she is not prepared for a large degree of popular government. The people require the education of gradual partaking in the affairs of the government. They cannot be created into a state of democracy. But they must have this lesser degree. And that is what the zemstvo meeting means.

Yet, again. What can Mirsky do, with his schemes for civilizing Russia out of bureaucracy, if he has no constitutional authority at his back? His schemes will be dependent on the weak will of the Czar, a Czar who, if he be not autocratic (and we fear in fiber he is), is orthodox. And orthodox means Pobiedonostseff. And this master of the synod does not mean civilized Russia, but darkest Russia. Now the Czar has spoken. But the voice is that of Pobiedonostseff. He has said that agitation for representative government is useless. But is it? Assuredly Mirsky needs a constitution. So does Russia.

### Foreigners In Japan's Service

The loss of Captain Glass on the battleship Matsue off the Liaoyang peninsula last summer will be taken as ample corroboration, by many, of the claim that has often been advanced that the Japanese were secretly being aided by foreign naval men. The remarkable success that has attended the Japanese in all their naval battles has caused a large number of people to express the belief that the Japanese were not alone entitled to the full credit, but that foreign experts were aboard the vessels, in reality directing the operations.

Captain Glass was a British naval officer, and as he was a captain in the service, he held quite high rank. Undoubtedly he was an efficient naval officer, and it is generally believed now that he was on the vessel in the employ of the Japanese government. One very significant fact that is corroborative of this belief is that the British Admiralty and the Japanese naval department both learned months ago of the loss of the British officer, yet every effort has been made to suppress the facts of his having been on the vessel. Had he been on the vessel as a guest or a naval attaché there would not have been any occasion to have suppressed the facts of his presence. But the efforts being made to withhold the facts will be taken by many as indicating that he was helping Japan.

Naturally if any of the British officers were aboard the Japanese vessels serving against Russia, Great Britain would use every means to suppress the fact. However eager Great Britain may be to see her Oriental ally win in the present great contest, the British nation must make some sort of show of preserving a strict neutrality. There is excellent reason for thinking that Captain Glass was serving aboard the Japanese battleship as an officer of some kind. The general attempt at suppression of the facts concerning his death all go to indicate such a fact. It is furthermore stated by those in a position to receive private information concerning him, that he had no right on that vessel and it is because of this fact that the two nations have withheld the publication of the details of his death.

If Captain Glass was serving on one Japanese battleship it is highly probable that other foreign officers were serving under Togo. The conclusion of the war bill beyond any doubt determine this matter. Despite the facts that the Japanese claim to have no foreigners in their navy, the instance of Captain Glass is certainly significant. An inquiry into the identity of men lost on other Japanese vessels that have sunk, might discover other foreign officers who were aboard those craft neither as "guests nor naval attachés" but in an altogether different capacity.

### The All-British Pacific Cable

The "All Red," or All-British Pacific Cable went into operation shortly before the Pacific Commercial Cable was laid between San Francisco and this place. It has come into direct competition with cables connecting Australia and New Zealand with Europe by a different route. Some idea of its workings may be gathered from the report of the Pacific Cable Board for the second year of its operation, which has just been published. The Pacific Cable Board is composed of representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia, the Dominion of Canada and the Imperial British Government, the three governments which united to build and operate the cable.

The report shows that £1,992,967 has been expended upon the cable, and the gross message revenue received during the year 1903-4 was £81,832, from which has to be deducted £2008, being the sum paid to the Atlantic and Canadian Pacific Telegraph Companies for supplying the date and time of filing all messages to or from the United Kingdom and the Continent, leaving a net message revenue of £79,824. The number of messages and words transmitted during the year 1903-4 were approximately 176,331 and 2,098,873 respectively, of which 107,747 messages and 1,226,460 words were intercolonial. The actual expenditure of the board for the year amounted to £84,284, or almost exactly £5,000 less than its net receipts.

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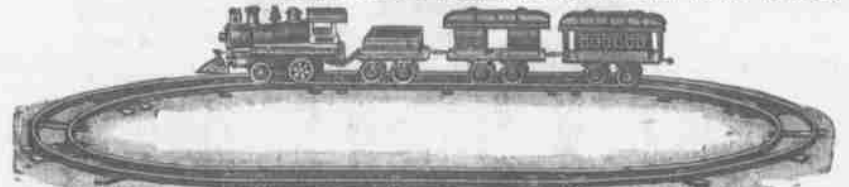
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## MANY PEOPLE HERE BY THE SIBERIA

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LULU—MET HEAVY WEATHER.

Loaded deep with freight, crowded with passengers and bringing a heavy mail for Honolulu, the S. S. Siberia arrived off the port shortly after 8 o'clock this morning from San Francisco. The vessel left San Francisco December 17 and brought four days later mail. She had 255 sacks of mail which is some what heavier than the ordinary four days period owing to the fact that much of the mail consisted of Christmas presents.

The vessel experienced good weather for the first few days after leaving San Francisco but ran into bad weather about two days ago. The main deck was frequently awash, heavy seas breaking over it and flooding some of the cabins of the officers quarters. The vessel brought 67 cabin passengers for Honolulu, many of those arriving being well known people back for the Christmas holidays. The Siberia has a cargo of about 8,000 tons of freight for through ports. She has a smaller shipment of flour than usual this trip.

Among the passengers who arrived for Honolulu were August Dreier, wife and daughter. He has been ill on the mainland sustaining a second stroke of paralysis while on the coast.

Mrs. E. Faxon Bishop returned from a visit to California. Mrs. Jane Walker also returned from a trip to the mainland.

C. Hedeman and wife returned from an extended visit to the East. He had some business matters to transact while in the east. They were accompanied by Howard Hedeman a student at Stanford who came down for his Christmas vacation.

J. F. Hackfeld of the firm of H. Hackfeld and Company returned on a business trip.

Harold S. Gilbert of Portland, Oregon came as the guest of J. H. Love who returned from an extended visit to the mainland.

Rev. Dr. Scudder and wife returned. He has been lecturing on the mainland on the subject of mission work in Hawaii.

Mrs. Frank E. Thompson and infant were returning Honolulu passengers.

A. L. Louison the Hamakua coffee planter was a returning passenger.

C. M. Lovsted returned from a trip to the mainland.

Mrs. G. H. Berry returned from a visit to the mainland.

Mrs. C. A. Bartlett returned from a visit to California.

Lieutenant Commander G. W. McElroy of the American navy is going out to Long Kong for assignment to duty on the Asiatic station.

A number of Japanese who have been attending the St. Louis Exposition are through passengers for Yokohama.

The Siberia is loading 400 tons of coal. She went into the Naval slip as the transport Solace had not appeared this morning from the Coast. The Siberia sails at 5 p. m. today for the Orient.

## MAY MAKE CUTS IN PASSENGER RATES

NEGOTIATIONS LOOKING TO AMERICAN-HAWAIIAN S. S. CO ENTERING PASSENGER BUSINESS.

Overtures have been made, it is understood, to the American-Hawaiian S. S. Company by local people to go into the passenger business between San Francisco and the Hawaiian Islands. About a week ago a delegation of people spoke to the local agents on the subject, but were told to make the proposition to the main office in San Francisco.

According to the report the American-Hawaiian Company has expressed willingness to enter the passenger trade with its local boats, the steamers Nevada and Nebaskan. The company was said to be willing to make a round trip rate of \$90 and a single rate of \$50. This would be a very big reduction over the rate of the regular passenger liners for their price is \$75 single trip to San Francisco, or \$135 round trip. In order to handle the new business the company was said to have been willing to have some changes made in their vessels so as to increase the accommodations for passengers. A guarantee, however, from the merchants to provide the company with freight was asked. Negotiations along these lines are now said to be in progress. Members of the Merchants' Association have the matter under consideration.

Should the American-Hawaiian line enter the passenger business, the long sought for reduction in steamer rates will have arrived. The company also operates boats to Puget Sound and rates from ports in that section would no doubt be offered.

Man Tai, an insane Chinese from Waianae, was sent to the asylum yesterday.

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Kihel 12.50 12.50  
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Koloa 135.00 135.00  
McBryde 6.75 7.125  
Oahu Sugar 106.50 106.50  
Ookala 6.50 7.25  
Olaa 5.25 5.25  
Paia 135.00 135.00  
Pioneer 129.00 131.50  
Waianae 65.00 67.40  
Wailuku 250.00 250.00  
Waimanalo 140.00 150.00  
Waikeolu 115.00 115.00  
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## JUDGE DE BOLT IS A BENEDICT

UNITED IN MARRIAGE TO MISS  
BIRDIE WILSON AT J. A. CUM-  
MINS' NUUANU RESIDENCE.

Judge J. T. De Bolt and Miss Birdie Wilson were married last evening at the residence of J. A. Cummins in Nuuanu Valley. Rev. H. H. Parker officiated. The ceremony had been announced for 7 o'clock and many friends of the contracting parties had planned to attend the ceremony, but the couple stole a march on the guests, however, and had the marriage ceremony performed a quarter of an hour earlier. J. A. Cummins gave the bride away.

The ceremony was performed under a beautiful canopy, surrounded with ferns and numerous tropical plants and flowers. The bride looked very pretty in an elegant costume of white silk. At the conclusion of the ceremony an elaborate wedding supper was served. A reception was held during the evening. The couple were the recipients of many handsome presents. Judge and Mrs. De Bolt went to their Kaimuki residence after the reception.

### PASSENGERS.

Departing.

Per S. S. China, December 23, for San Francisco—C. E. Catton and wife, Miss C. B. Bailey, H. A. Widemann, James K. Bulger and wife, J. Q. Wood, E. S. Elkus and wife, A. C. Thorpe, N. W. Church, W. Takeuchi, E. J. Lord, L. A. Hughes and wife.

Per S. S. Siberia, December 23, for Yokohama—W. D. Stone.

### HABEAS CORPUS HEARING.

The hearing of the habeas corpus to determine the fact of whether Mikala Kaipu really has leprosy or not continued before Judge Dole today. Drs. Sinclair, Mays, Herbert and Cooper all testified that she was a leper, the disease showing on her brow and arms, and no doubt being left by the bacteriological examination.

### MARRIED.

LANSDALE-NICHOLS—In the Episcopal church, San Mateo, California, December 15, 1904, Miss Mary Nichols, eldest daughter of Bishop and Mrs. William Ford Nichols, to Philip M. Lansdale, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lansdale of Philadelphia, and nephew of the late Lieutenant Philip Lansdale of the United States navy. The attractive church was made even more attractive for the occasion with palms, ferns and hydrangeas. A few of the most intimate friends were present at the ceremony, which was performed by Bishop Nichols. Miss Nichols was married in traveling suit and was attended by her charming little sister, Miss Claire, and given into the keeping of the groom by her brother.

### LAHAINA LOCALS.

Father Oliver, the new priest at the Church of Notre Dame des Victoires, was born in Belgium, and recently visited the place of his nativity. He has served faithfully for more than twenty years in these islands. His longest pastorate was at Kohala. He has already made the acquaintance of many people in Lahaina. Notice has been given out that he will celebrate a Christmas midnight mass.

There was a Santa Claus entertainment at Kindergarten Hall on Friday evening, December 16.

Francis W. Smith, formerly assistant manager of the Alexander Young hotel is now with Hotel Del Monte, California.

Henry Brower, who gained some notoriety last April by a pedestrian tour of this island, returned by the Mauna Loa today from Hawaii. He made a pedestrian trip around that island last July, spending some time at the Volcano.

### CHRISTMAS HINTS.

To those desiring photos for Christmas, we would advise an immediate appointment as time is getting short and our work is increasing. Also procure our 1905 calendar, 50 cents each, ready for mailing at Rice & Perkins, Photographers, Mott-Smith Building, Hotel street near Fort.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

## BY AUTHORITY

As Christmas Day and New Year's Day will each fall upon a Sunday, the Legal Holidays will be respectively observed, as far as all Territorial Government Offices are concerned, on Monday, December 26th, and Monday, January 2nd, 1905.

G. R. CARTER,  
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Honolulu, December 12th, 1904.

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William Ayau and Yim Chan pleaded not guilty to a charge of conspiracy in the first degree before Judge Robinson yesterday. They are accused of collusion in converting goods belonging to the Pacific Hardware Company. The case has been on the calendar since June the men being on bonds.

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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

### COMMISSIONER'S SALE

OF

## VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

SITUATE AT

Kaluapalena, Kalihi,

ISLAND OF OAHU, TERRITORY OF HAWAII.

Pursuant to a decree made by the Honorable W. J. Robinson, Third Judge of the Circuit Court of the First Judicial Circuit, Territory of Hawaii, filed on the 22nd day of December, A. D. 1904, in an action entitled Allen & Robinson, Limited, (a corporation), complainant, vs. J. K. Nakookoo and E. K. Nakookoo, respondents, Bill for Foreclosure of Mortgage, Equity Division No. 1440, the undersigned, as Commissioner, duly appointed, will sell at Public Auction, to the highest and best bidder, subject to confirmation of the Court.

ON SATURDAY, THE 7th DAY  
OF JANUARY, A. D. 1905.

AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON OF SAID DAY,

at the front (mauka) entrance of the Judiciary Building, is, Honolulu, Island of Oahu, Territory of Hawaii, the following described real property, to-wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate at Kaluapalena, Kalihi, Honolulu aforesaid, the same being a portion of the premises described in Royal Patent (Grant) 3606 to Pomakalani and known as Lot No. 10 of the Government Map of Kaluapalena and known and designated as Lot 3 of a subdivision of said Lot 10 and more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Commencing at the West corner of the premises, the same being also the corner of Middle Street and a 20-foot lane at a point which bears N. 45° 00' E. and is distant 438.5 feet from the E. corner of Middle and Rose Streets and running thence N. 45° 00' E. 52.5 feet along said Middle Street to Lot 2; thence S. 42° 00' E. 131.5 feet along said Lot 2; thence S. 45° 00' W. 52.2 feet along Lot 4 to the above described lane; thence N. 42° 00' W. 131.5 feet along said lane to the initial point and containing an area of 6,865 square feet.

Terms of Sale—Cash in United States Gold Coin; deed at expense of purchaser.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Holmes & Stanley, attorneys for complainant, at their office, corner Merchant and Kaimukuanu Streets, Honolulu, or to the undersigned at his office in the Judiciary Building.

M. T. SIMONTON,  
Commissioner.

Dated: Honolulu, Oahu, December 23rd, A. D. 1904.

### Notice of Lost Certificate.

Notice is hereby given that Certificate No. 6 for fifty shares of the Capital Stock of Wm. G. Irwin & Co., Ltd., standing on the books of said Company in the name of Frederick Whitney has been lost, and transfer of same on the books of said Company has been stopped.

All persons are warned against negotiating, purchasing or dealing with said certificate. Said shares are transferable only by endorsement on said certificate and by surrender of same and the issue of a new certificate. No title will pass to the holder of said certificate, said certificate if found should be delivered to the undersigned.

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For Pearl City, Ewa Mill and Way  
Stations—7:30 a. m., 9:15 a. m.,  
11:45 a. m., 1:15 p. m., 3:20 p. m.,  
5:25 p. m., 7:30 p. m., 11:15 p. m.

**INWARD.**

Arrive Honolulu from Kahuku, Waialua and Waianae—8:30 a. m., 5:31 p. m.  
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## GREAT BRITAIN TO ANNEX TONGA

FORMER-RESIDENTS OF HONO-  
LULU NOW MAKE THEIR HOME  
IN THE ISLAND KINGDOM.

SYDNEY, December 23.—Two British  
warships have sailed from here to an-  
nex the Tonga Islands.

Tonga which Great Britain is about  
to annex, has a special interest for  
the people of Honolulu from the fact  
that several persons who formerly lived  
here are now resident there. Among these  
are Dr. and Mrs. D. McLennan who  
left here to take up their residence  
there about eight or nine years ago.  
Dr. McLennan had practiced medicine  
here for some time. In 1902 Bishop  
and Mrs. Willis, after a residence of  
thirty years in Honolulu went to Tonga  
in response to a call from a faction of  
the Wesleyan church there who wanted  
to become members of the Church of  
England and threatened to relapse into  
heathenism if they were not given the  
opportunity. Bishop Willis took with  
him a Chinese who had been a helper  
in his school and has continued  
as a helper in his work there.

Wesleyan missionaries went to Tonga  
in 1827, and were very successful in  
converting the natives to Christianity.  
The most widely known of the mission-  
aries who labored there was the Rev.  
Shirley Baker who died about a year  
ago.

After many years labor he asked  
the Wesleyan conference in Australia  
to allow the Wesleyan church in Tonga  
to become a separate jurisdiction which  
it declined to do. Thereupon he seceded  
with a large following and established  
the Free Church of Tonga. He suc-  
ceeded in making this the national  
church of Tonga, and he himself be-  
came prime minister, and practically  
the entire government of the little king-  
dom. His administration was so ex-  
travagant and erratic that the British  
government, which exercised a protec-  
torate over the kingdom, exiled him  
from Tonga for two years. On his re-  
turn he was broken in health and in-  
fluence and died about a year ago.  
Meanwhile he had been admitted to  
deacon's orders in the Church of Eng-  
land, in New Zealand, and had at-  
tempted to turn the Free Church of  
Tonga over to the Church of England.  
It was as a result of his efforts, in part  
at least, that the call to Bishop Willis  
came.

The late King George, who died in  
1893 at the age of 85, had ruled his  
little kingdom almost from the first  
years of contact with civilization. He  
was a devoted Wesleyan, and a great  
admirer of Queen Victoria. He offered  
his kingdom to the British government,  
but the offer was not accepted, but a  
protectorate was established. King  
George was succeeded by King George  
Tahoa I. He created a sensation by  
marrying the daughter of his chief of  
police in preference to a bride of much  
higher native rank whom according to  
the traditions of his people, he ought to  
have married. The last two or three  
years there has been a good deal of  
friction between the native government  
and the British residents growing out  
of an alleged disposition on the part  
of the native government to pile all the  
taxes on the foreigners while giving  
them no say in their expenditure. The  
British Commissioner for the Pacific  
Islands, who is also governor of Fiji,  
has several times had to interfere in  
the past year or two. About a year  
ago at the King's order, the British  
Commissioner on arriving there was  
refused a landing on the ground of  
quarantine regulations against the  
measles which existed in Fiji at the  
time.

It is not true to say that Tonga is  
the only group of Polynesian Islands  
that until now has not come under the  
sway of some European or American  
power. The New Hebrides, are still  
independent, though both France and  
England are manoeuvring for predom-  
inant influence there.

Tonga consists of three groups of is-  
lands, called respectively, Tonga, Ha-  
apai and Vavau, and lies between 15  
degrees and 23 degrees 30 minutes South  
and 172 degrees and 177 degrees West.  
Its western boundary being the eastern  
boundary of Fiji. Its area is 390 square  
miles and the population, December 31,  
1900, was 18,959 of which 18,300 were  
natives, 300 other Pacific Island (float-  
ing population), 150 British subjects, 20  
other foreigners and 120 half castes.  
The capital is Nukunono. The re-  
venue, chiefly from customs, a poll tax  
and leases (no land being sold) was in  
1903 estimated at about \$100,000.

## PUBLIC WORKS EXPENDITURE.

The statement of the Honolulu Bu-  
reau of Roads for the month of Novem-  
ber shows an expenditure of \$2842.72.  
The number of men employed in the  
garbage and road departments were as  
follows: October 31, 712; November 15,  
723; November 30, 722.

The following special appropriations  
from the loan fund were expended:

School Street Extension and Purchasing right of way—	Pay roll \$2733.79, bills \$1766.92, 4,500 71
Fourth District Stables—	Pay roll \$1889.61, bills \$1019.85, 2,900 56
Fort street extension and purchasing right of way—	Pay roll \$1235.61, bills \$818.61, 2,104 12
Hotel street extension and purchasing right of way—	Pay roll \$844.97, bills \$368.50, 1,013 47
Palolo new roads—	Pay roll \$1279.62, bills \$4.95, 1,284 57
Kukul street extension and purchasing right of way—	Bills \$55.50, 55 50
Public Grounds General—	Pay roll \$57.00, bills \$39.63, 87 43
Storm sewers and drains—	Pay roll \$386.00, 386 00
<b>Grand Total—</b>	<b>\$21,390 46</b>

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## HAWAIIAN SUGAR IN THE MARKET

EFFECTS OF THE FIRST SHIP-  
MENT OF THE HONOLULU PLAN-  
TION'S NEW CROP TO FRISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 23.—  
Four firms have withdrawn from the  
local sugar trust. It is believed that,  
on the arrival of the product of the  
new Hawaiian refinery, there will be a  
cut in prices.

Fully explanatory of the above cable  
is the following from The Star of Octo-  
ber 7, this year which was the first  
announcement of the intention of the  
Honolulu Plantation Company to mar-  
ket its own product in the refined sugar  
market.

The Honolulu Plantation Company  
has cut loose from the "Sugar trust,"  
is installing the machinery of a refinery  
and will refine and market its own crop  
during the coming season, independent  
of all other Hawaiian plantations, as  
well as of the American Sugar Refining  
Company. This is the brief statement  
of one of the most important steps ever  
taken in the sugar business here. With-  
in a few months it will result in the  
first shipments of refined sugar from  
Lauai, the first sales by a plantation  
direct to consumers, since the sugar  
trust secured control of the markets  
of America, and in the end, it is be-  
lieved, the new plan will result in in-  
creased profits to the producers here.

The machinery for the refinery of  
Honolulu plantation is already on the  
ground and the refinery is being put up.  
It will be ready in time for this year's  
crop, which will be about 17,500 tons,  
according to the estimates of Manager  
Low in his last report. The refined  
product will be shipped direct to San  
Francisco, where arrangements for  
marketing it have already been made,  
with firms which are also operating  
independent of the "trust." Four large  
San Francisco firms have contracted to  
take the Honolulu company's sugar  
and thus the refined, granulated sugar  
from Hawaii will go straight to the re-  
tail markets of California for the first  
time in the history of the sugar busi-  
ness.

Honolulu Plantation is located at  
Aiea and has about 3,020 acres of land  
in sugar. It is incorporated for \$5-  
000,000 and is one of the successful plan-  
tations of the islands. Much of the  
stock is held in California, the company  
being a California corporation. James  
A. Low is manager and the directors  
are John A. Buck, N. Ohlandt, William  
G. Irwin, John L. Koster, M. Ehrman,  
Samuel Sussman and William Matson.  
John A. Buck is president, N. Ohlandt  
vice-president, Samuel Sussman treas-  
urer and H. W. Thomas is secretary.  
The Honolulu agents are William G.  
Irwin and Company.

In installing a refinery the Honolulu  
plantation takes a step which has been  
discussed more or less for many years  
among the various plantations. The  
present method of marketing Hawaii's  
sugar, to be continued by all the plan-  
tations with the exception of the Hon-  
olulu Plantation Company, is to sell to  
the American Sugar Refining Company,  
popularly known as the Sugar Trust.

The Honolulu Plantation Company  
cuts loose from all these propositions  
and enters the California market at  
least, as the rival of the sugar trust.  
With its own arrangements made for  
handling the product after it is refined,  
it is believed that the company will  
operate independently with better pro-  
fits than it has been able to realize un-  
der trust control. Its action will be  
regarded by many as providing an en-  
tering wedge.

One local result of the establishment  
of the refinery will be the sale of Ha-  
waiian refined sugar in the Honolulu  
market. At present, though Hawaii  
produces thousands of tons of sugar  
every year, all the table sugar used in  
the islands is imported from elsewhere.  
The refined product of the Honolulu  
Plantation will probably quickly gain  
control of the local market.

## BARS WILL NOT COME DOWN.

New Chinese Treaty Will Take Some  
Time to Complete.

The new Chinese exclusion treaty,  
which Secretary Hay and Sir Chen  
Tung Liang Cheng, the Chinese Minis-  
ter, are negotiating, presents a serious  
and tedious task. When the negotia-  
tions were begun some time ago it was  
with the hope, though hardly with the  
expectation, that the treaty could be  
signed in time to be sent to the Senate  
at the opening of Congress. If the  
treaty reaches Congress before the  
close of the present session, the nego-  
tiators will feel that their work pro-  
gressed rapidly.

To safeguard the country even more  
adequately than does the present treaty  
against the immigration of Chinese la-  
borers of any class and to alleviate as  
far as can safely be done the alleged  
hardships which even the best people  
of China are forced to undergo at the  
gateways of this country, are two re-  
sults which it is hoped may be obtained  
by the new treaty. It is stated on  
authority that there is no foundation  
for the statement that the new treaty  
is designed to let down the bars  
against indiscriminate Chinese immi-  
gration.

## FLAG THE TRAIN.

When your train is flying for the  
open switch, and the danger signals of  
sleepiness, nervousness, irritability,  
and general nervousness are flashed be-  
fore you, flag your engine before disas-  
ter, by taking Dr. Miles' Nervine. At  
druggists. Money back if first bottle  
fails to benefit.

Fine Job Printing Star Office.

## Association Foot-Ball

is the sport that comes next.  
We have just received from England a small shipment  
of the

**"Genuine McGregor"**  
Association Foot-Balls

This is the ball used in the International Matches.  
England vs. Scotland 1899-1901-1902-1903 and 1904.  
England Cup Finals 1899-1900-1901-1902 and 1903.  
We also have a fine line of Elk skin Foot Ball Shoes,  
and a good assortment of Shin Guards.

**E. O. HALL & SON, LTD.**

## An Elegant Christmas Present

**Genuine Stag Handled Carvers**

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A CHOICE SHIPMENT OF PEARL, IVORY  
AND STAG HANDLED CARVERS SUITABLE FOR THE CHRISTMAS  
TRADE.

**Theo. H. Davies & Co.,  
LIMITED**

**Hardware Department**

## OUR OWN LINE

**San Francisco to Chicago**

(WITHOUT CHANGE).

STANDARD AND TOURIST SLEEPERS DAILY



Stopping en route at Los Angeles, also "THE PETRIFIED FORESTS"  
and the "GRAND CANYON OF ARIZONA."

HONOLULU PEOPLE TAKE THE SANTA FE ROUTE DURING THE  
COLD WINTER MONTHS. AN IDEAL TRIP ALONG THE OILED ROAD-  
BEDS ON THE CALIFORNIA LIMITED. TWO TRAINS DAILY.

Passenger Agent, W. G. Irwin & Co., Office

## Grand Reduction Sale!

A. F. C. Gingham, 10 yards for \$1.00.  
Ladies' and Men's Shoes, Babies' Silk Bonnets, Embroidered Bonnets,  
from 25 cents to \$1.50.  
American Black Prints, 20 yards for \$1.  
Gingham, 16 yards for \$1.  
Men's Shirts, Underwear, Hosiery, Blankets in all colors, from 60 cents  
to \$5 a pair.

**WING SING LOY,**  
1031 Nuuanu Street. Between King and Hotel.

## Christmas Goods!

Lacquer Ware, German Ware, Flower Vases, Kimonos,  
Silk Cushion Covers, Fans, Japanese Purses for Ladies.  
New line of Panama Hats at specially low prices.

**K. ISOSHIMA**  
1031 Nuuanu Street, Near Bethel.

Fine Job Printing, Star Office. Star Want Ads pay, 10 cents.



## THE AQUARIUM Now Open AT KAPOLANI PARK

THE AQUARIUM WILL BE OPEN  
on Week days from 10 o'clock a. m. to  
5 p. m. and from 7 to 9:30 o'clock p. m.  
On Sundays it will open at 1 p. m.  
and close at 9:30 p. m.  
ADMISSION will be FREE on  
"holidays." On other days a charge  
will be made of 10 cents to adults and  
5 cents to children under fourteen years  
of age.

### CORPORATION NOTICES

#### HONOKAA SUGAR COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the stock  
books of the Honokaa Sugar Company  
will be closed to transfers from the  
22nd, to the 31st inst., inclusive.  
H. FOCKE,  
Treasurer.  
Honolulu, December 22, 1904.

#### KAHULUI RAILROAD CO.

#### SPECIAL MEETING OF STOCK- HOLDERS.

A special meeting of the Stockhold-  
ers of the Kahului Railroad Company  
will be held at the office of the Com-  
pany, Stangenwald Building, Honolulu,  
on Saturday, December 31st, 1904, at 9  
a. m., for the purpose of amending the  
Charter and By-Laws of the Company,  
and for the transaction of such other  
business as may be brought before the  
meeting.

GEO. M. ROLPH,  
Secretary Pro Tem.  
Honolulu, Dec. 20th, 1904.

### Notice to Bondholders

#### EWA PLANTATION CO.

In accordance with the terms under  
which its bonds were issued, the Ewa  
Plantation Company will pay, with  
accrued interest, on January 1st, 1905,  
Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$200,-  
00.00) of its bonds. The numbers of  
the bonds to be paid are as follows:

2	66	129	201	248	303	371	427
5	99	130	203	249	313	376	433
6	70	131	205	250	314	377	434
10	71	133	206	251	315	378	436
13	72	135	208	252	316	379	437
14	78	136	209	253	317	380	438
15	83	138	210	254	318	381	439
21	85	139	211	255	319	382	440
27	86	141	212	256	320	383	441
30	88	147	214	257	321	384	442
31	89	148	215	258	322	385	443
35	90	150	216	259	323	386	444
36	91	152	217	260	324	387	445
37	95	153	218	261	325	388	446
39	102	156	221	264	328	391	449
42	104	160	223	266	330	393	451
43	105	163	224	267	331	394	452
44	106	166	225	268	332	395	453
51	107	167	226	269	333	396	454
53	108	170	228	271	335	398	456
55	112	177	239	290	356	417	484
56	115	178	243	293	357	419	485
58	118	180	245	298	362	420	488
62	121	181	246	300	364	422	489
63	126	189	247	302	366	423	497

Notice is hereby given to the holders  
of these bonds to present the same for  
payment at the office of the Treasurer  
of the Ewa Plantation Company in Ho-  
nolulu on January 1st, 1905, and that  
interest on same will cease from and  
after that date.

W. A. BOWEN,  
Treasurer, Ewa Plantation Co.,  
Honolulu, Hawaii, Nov. 18, 1904.

### Christmas Trees

From \$1 to \$3. Palms, ferns, and  
other plants.

#### K. YASUMORI,

King Street, opposite Kawaiaha  
church.

#### T. Sumida,

Maunakea between Pauahi and Hotel  
Streets.  
WHOLESALE LIQUOR DEALER.  
Sole Agent for  
Homareta Sake.

## Make Your Home Attractive

It is surprising what a housekeeper  
can do with interior enamels at a tri-  
gling cost.

Furniture, chairs and all household  
articles, picture frames, etc., can be  
made beautiful with very little trouble.  
In fact most people find the work a  
pleasure.

We have a full stock of the following

SATSUMA, Interior Enamels,  
KOPALINE,  
SAPOLINE ENAMELS.

## LEWERS & COOKE, LTD

177 S. King Street

Want ads in the Star bring quick re-  
sults. Three lines three times for 25  
cents.

# The Unhappy Princess Louise



DRESDEN, December 23.—The divorced Princess Louise of Saxony has made an unsuccessful attempt to see  
her children.

## NEWS BY CABLE

#### ESCAPED FROM PORT ARTHUR.

CHEFOO, December 23.—It is reported  
that eight torpedo destroyers escaped  
from Port Arthur during a snow-  
storm.

#### ALL QUIET AT MUKDEN.

MUKDEN, December 23.—The mili-  
tary situation here is unchanged.

#### ROOSEVELT'S MAJORITY.

CHICAGO, December 23.—Complete  
returns of the popular vote in the late  
Presidential election are now in.  
Roosevelt got 7,627,622 votes, Par-  
ker 5,080,954, Debs 291,587.

#### THE PATTERSON JURY.

NEW YORK, December 23.—The Nan  
Patterson jury has been locked up for  
the night.

#### TRIBESMEN WANT BLOOD.

TANGIER, December 23.—Tribesmen  
have surrounded the town of Alcazar  
and threaten to sack it unless the  
French Consul is surrendered to them.

#### BEFOGGED LONDON.

LONDON, December 23.—The fog is  
paralyzing business.

#### MARRIED.

ST. SURE-MOSSMAN.—At the Catholic  
Cathedral, Honolulu, Hawaii, Wed-  
nesday, December 21, 1904, Miss Ma-  
bel Mossman principal of the Kekaha  
Kauai school, to Dr. F. A. St. Sure,  
formerly surgeon of the S. S. Ala-  
meda, and now physician to McBryde  
Plantation, Kauai. Dr. St. Sure and  
Miss Mossman arrived from  
Kauai Wednesday morning by the  
steamer Mikahala at 6 o'clock in the  
morning. At noon the young couple  
went to the cathedral and were very  
quietly married. They went from  
the cathedral to the Hawaiian Hotel  
and Thursday took the Mikahala once  
more for the Garden Island, where  
they will make their future home. Dr.  
St. Sure's former brother officers on  
the Alameda were apprised of the  
wedding and presented the couple  
with a handsome cut glass water set.

#### CATHOLIC CHURCHES.

Christmas religious services will be  
held in the Catholic churches of the  
suburbs in charge of Rev. Father Cle-  
ment as follows:

In the church of Our Lady of the  
Mount, Kailua (Kailua), midnight  
mass, with sermon, collection and holy  
communion.

In the church of St. John the Baptist  
Kailua, 8:30 a. m., grand musical  
high mass, with sermon, collection and  
holy communion; at 3 p. m., children's  
Christmas.

In the church of St. Joseph, Moana-  
lua, 11 a. m., high mass, with sermon  
and collection.

## BURTON GETS NO WHITEWASH

#### GOVERNMENT CONTENTS FOR THE GUILT AND PUNISHMENT OF SENATOR FROM KANSAS.

The supplemental brief of the Gov-  
ernment in the case of Senator Burton  
of Kansas has been filed in the Su-  
preme Court of the United States. It  
contends strongly for the guilt of the  
defendant although it is admitted that  
the Senator's course in support of the  
interests of his client, the Rialto Com-  
pany was not always clear. Speaking  
of the use of political influence in the  
departments, the brief says that it is  
effective, and adds:

Mr. Burton's traces were well cov-  
ered. His associations, on behalf of  
himself and his client, made a fair  
showing, but he held up the investiga-  
tion because he was a Senator, and not  
merely because he was a general coun-  
sel of the Rialto Company; and the  
portion of the Judges' charge aimed  
adverted on at bar were perfectly ac-  
curate and just. If not, the most dan-  
gerous evil in this entire situation, viz,  
that intangible, subtle and insidious  
thing, "influence" can never be reach-  
ed even where the recipient of compen-  
sations is plainly shown.

On the point of punishment, it is re-  
marked:

Because a man of his caliber occu-  
pies a high position and the sting of  
the infamy may therefore be more bit-  
ter to him is no reason for saying that  
part of the punishment should increase  
the grade of the offense and enlarge  
his protection and rights any more  
than if the case put the same stigma  
upon a poor wretch who never held  
office and could never expect to.

#### THE NAVAL CHANGES.

The flag of Admiral Terry will be  
hailed down with appropriate cere-  
mony at the Naval Station on Tuesday  
next. With a view to tendering a  
courtesy both to the Admiral who has  
left and to Captain Lyon who is to  
succeed him Governor Carter has or-  
dered the Territorial band to be pre-  
sent for the purpose of bidding a mus-  
ical adieu to the admiral's flag and to  
serenade the new commander. As soon  
as Captain Lyon is officially installed  
Governor Carter will make his formal  
call.

#### GRAND JURY'S REPORT.

The Territorial Grand Jury was an-  
nounced to report today but appar-  
ently it has discovered some more mat-  
ters that are in need of its services. The  
report will not be made until the mid-  
dle of next week.

#### THE ADVANTAGE

No far as we can see, a bottle on a  
farm offers only one advantage over  
one in town: The neighbors can't hear  
the fusing.

## REALTY TRANSFERS

Entered for Record Dec. 22, 1904.

John H. Van Gieson to William R.  
Castle Tr. .... M  
Max Schlemmer and wf to August  
Bonke ..... D  
Issue Near to Celia Noar ..... A L  
Hana Lili Pooloa to Young Kun ..... C  
Martha A J Chamberlain to Chas.  
H Atherton ..... Rel  
Martha A J Chamberlain to Chas.  
H Atherton ..... Rel  
G N Wilcox to Albert Waterhouse  
et al ..... D

Recorded Dec. 15, 1904.

G R Carter to Esther Shaw, Agrmt;  
to sell for \$500 apx 43 and 45, blk 3 of  
R P 3050, Puunui Road, Honolulu,  
Oahu. B 265, p 303. Dated Dec. 13,  
1904.

Kaplan Est. Ltd., et als to William  
O Smith et al. Assmt; rents, income,  
etc., from various leaseholds in Terri-  
tory of Hawaii. B 265, p 332. Dated  
Nov. 26, 1904.

#### FAMOUS RESORT.

The Maison Tortoni, for over thirty  
years a resort for merry gatherings  
and midnight revelry in San Francisco,  
will soon be only a memory.

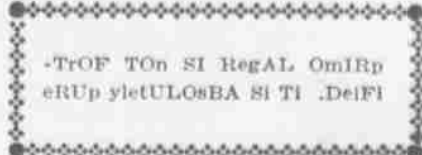
In the days of the mining stock ex-  
citement Tortoni's stood for wine, wo-  
men and song in San Francisco. Then  
the resort was at the height of its  
prosperity. But prosperity of the kind  
that visited Tortoni's is short lived and  
the maison was crowded out by young-  
er competitors. The glamour of the  
name, however, helped to keep it up.

#### YOU TAKE AN UMBRELLA.

If you think it will rain. On the same  
principle, take a Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain  
Pill, "the Little Comforters," when you  
have reason to believe you will have  
an attack of headache, toothache, neural-  
gia, indigestion—or those terrible bear-  
ing-down pains. They will prevent the  
attack, and keep you immune from pain  
just as an umbrella will prevent the  
rain from falling upon you. Money back  
if first package fails to benefit.

A Timely Suggestion.—This is the  
season of the year when the prudent  
and careful housewife replenishes her  
supply of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.  
It is certain to be needed before the  
winter is over, and results are much  
more prompt and satisfactory when it  
is kept at hand and given as soon as  
the cold is contracted and before it has  
become settled in the system. In al-  
most every instance a severe cold may  
be ward off by taking this remedy  
freely as soon as the first indication of  
the cold appears. There is no danger  
in giving it to children for it contains  
no harmful substance. It is pleasant  
to take—both adults and children like  
it. Buy it and you will get the best.  
It always cures. Sold by all dealers,  
Hanson, Smith & Co., agents for Ha-  
waii.

## Hatter Deciphered this!



## Can You?

### CLEARANCE SALE!

General Merchandise, dry goods, clothing, etc. Chinese and Japanese  
Silk Handkerchiefs, Matting, Camphor -wood Trunks, Cloths and Tobacco,  
Shoes and Rubber Boots, Oil Coats. Tailor. Men and Ladies' Dress-Maker.

#### YAT SING

King St., near River, Honolulu, H. I.

P. O. Box 900.

## SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

(Continued from page 2.)

derson, H. Myhre, Dr. W. G. Rodgers,  
R. A. Woodward, John Carvalho, W.  
H. Crawford, R. Oberwimmer, Rev. J.  
K. Kekaula, Mrs. Tetzloff and 76 deck.  
Departing.

Per steamer Mikahala, Dec. 22, for Kau-  
ai ports: Mrs. Kimball, Miss Kimball,  
Miss Lady Macfarlane, Miss Alice Mac-  
farlane, Miss Makes, Miss Dowsett,  
Miss Giffard, Mrs. P. Benson, C. A.  
Rice, C. A. Calvert and wife, Dr. St.  
Sure and wife, Miss Bella Mybell, Mrs.  
C. W. Macfarlane, Miss Kitchen, Mrs.  
Hulthe, Mrs. John A. Noble.

#### HONOULU.

Arriving, December 19.—Am. schr.  
Defender 21 days from San Francisco.

#### PATIENCE.

Patience is that quality which others  
don't have to use in dealing with us,  
but which we have to overwork in deal-  
ing with them.—Atchison (Kan.) Globe.

## Fire Insurance!

Atlas Assurance Company of London.  
Phoenix Assurance Company of London.  
New York Underwriters Agency.  
Providence Washington Insurance  
Company.

Phenix Insurance Company of Brook-  
lyn.  
Fourth Floor, Stangenwald Building.

THE B. F. DILLINGHAM CO., LIMITED  
General Agents for Hawaii.

## W. G. Irwin & Co.

AGENTS FOR

Western Sugar Refining Co., San  
Francisco, Cal.  
Baldwin Locomotive Works, Philadel-  
phia, Pa.  
Newell Universal Mill Co., Manufac-  
turers of Tonal Cane Shredder,  
New York, N. Y.  
Paraffine Pair Company, San Francis-  
co, Cal.  
O'Hlandt & Co., San Francisco, Cal.  
Pacific Oil Transportation Co., San  
Francisco, Cal.

## WE ARE OFFERING FOR CHRISTMAS

Genuine Manila Cigar in boxes of 25,  
50 and 100 at reasonable prices. A  
very fine line of American cigars, to-  
baccos and cigarettes also the best  
known brands of Chinese Teas, Sui  
Suen and Mu Lung. Store open even-  
ings until 8:30.

## Lee Toma & Co., Ltd

33 King Street near Nuananu.

## BATH

THE

## Plumber

155 S. King Street  
Telephone Main 61

## BY AUTHORITY

#### NOTICE.

#### NOTICE TO SEWER RATE PAYERS.

Until further notice, an Application  
Fee of \$1 will be exacted on all new  
sewer privileges.

Rates due and payable January 1st  
and July 1st of each year.

C. S. HOLLOWAY,  
Superintendent of Public Works,  
Department of Public Works,  
December 21, 1904.

Approved:  
G. R. CARTER,  
Governor.

#### NOTICE.

#### PAYMENT OF SEWER RATES.

In accordance with Act 6, Session  
Laws, 1904, rates will be payable from  
and after January 1st, 1905, semi-an-  
nually in advance.

Semi-annual rates between January  
1st, 1905 and June 30, 1905, are payable  
on January 1st, 1905.

A failure to pay such advance rates 15  
days after due, renders the rate holder  
liable to an additional 10 per cent.

Rates payable at the office of  
C. M. WHITE,  
Chief Clerk.

Approved:  
C. S. HOLLOWAY,  
Superintendent of Public Works,  
Department of Public Works,  
December 19, 1904.

#### SHERIFF'S SALE NOTICE.

In the matter of two certain Execu-  
tions issued out of the Supreme Court  
of the Territory of Hawaii, on the 12th  
day of December, A. D. 1904, each en-  
titled C. BOLTE, Plaintiff, vs. H. W. S.  
EDMUNDS, Defendant, one for the  
sum of Two Hundred Eighty-one and  
10-100 (\$281.10) Dollars, and the other  
for the sum of Two Hundred Thirty  
and 75-100 (\$230.75) Dollars, I have, in  
said Honolulu, on the 17th day of De-  
cember, A. D. 1904, under and by virtue,  
first, of the hereinabove mentioned Ex-  
ecution for Two Hundred Eighty-one  
and 10-100 (\$281.10) Dollars, and second-  
ly, of the second hereinabove mention-  
ed Execution for Two Hundred Thirty  
and 75-100 (\$230.75) Dollars, levied upon,  
and shall offer and expose for sale and  
sell at public auction, to the highest  
bidder, at the Police Station, Kalakaua  
Hale, in said Honolulu, at 12 o'clock  
noon of Tuesday, the 17th day of Jan-  
uary, A. D. 1905, all the equity of the  
said H. W. S. Edmunds, in and to a  
subscription dated September, 1903, for  
3647 shares of the capital stock of the  
Hawaiian Sial Company, Limited, un-  
less the sum of Two Hundred Eighty-  
one and 10-100 (\$281.10) Dollars, the  
amount of the first hereinabove men-  
tioned Execution, and the sum of Two  
Hundred Thirty and 75-100 (\$230.75)  
Dollars, the amount of the second Ex-  
ecution, together with interest, costs  
and my fee and expenses are previous-  
ly paid.

All the equity of the said H. W. S.  
Edmunds, in and to his subscription,  
dated September, 1903, for 3647 shares  
of the capital stock of the Hawaiian  
Sial Company, Limited, and in and to  
the sum of \$1250.00 in cash, and \$8750.00  
worth of paid-up shares of the said  
Company, payable and deliverable to  
him, by the said Hawaiian Sial Com-  
pany, Limited, being money and shares  
mentioned in the affidavit of Incorpor-  
ation of said Company, dated Septem-  
ber 10, 1903, on file in the office of the  
Treasurer of the Territory of Hawaii.  
Dated at Honolulu, Oahu, this 17th  
day of December, A. D. 1904.

WM. HENRY,

High Sheriff, Territory of Hawaii.

#### PAYMENT OF WATER RATES.

As provided for in Section 1, Chapter  
XXVI of the Session Laws of 1886:

All persons holding water privileges  
or those paying water rates are hereby  
notified that the water rates for the six  
(6) months ending June 30th, 1905 will  
be due and payable at the office of the  
Honolulu Water Works on the first  
day of January 1905.

On all such rates remaining unpaid  
on January 15th 1905, an additional  
charge of 10 per cent will be made.

All privileges upon which rates re-  
main unpaid to February 15th, 1905, (30  
days after becoming delinquent) are  
subject to immediate shut off, without  
further notice.

The outside men have been instructed  
as fast as possible after February 15th,  
1905.

Rates are payable at the office of the  
Honolulu Water Works in the Chief  
Clerk of the Department of Public  
Works.

J. H. HOWLAND,  
Superintendent of Honolulu Water  
Works.  
Honolulu, T. H. Dec. 15, 1904.

Free Job Printing, Star Office.



## Christmas Curios

The most acceptable Christmas presents to send away to friends are Hawaiian curios. We have a large line of cat eyes, leis and Hawaiian jewelry.

## WOMAN'S EXCHANGE



## The Time To Order Your Christmas Turkey

Many good things will be on hand for the Merry Christmas Dinner. Geese, Corn Fed Turkeys, Chickens, Wild Ducks, Rabbits, Suckling Pigs, etc. Order by telephone if you choose. All these good things choice and fresh at the vegetable counter.

**Holly-Berries, Cauliflower, Christmas Trees, Celery, Pineapples, Artichokes, Asparagus, Yellow Turnips, Celery Root, Parsnips, Horse Radish, Raisins, Sprouts, Chestnuts, Hubbard Squash, Almonds, Summer Squash, Walnuts, Pican Nuts, Grapes, Apples, Washington Apples, Oranges, Grape Fruit, Hazel Nuts, Tangerines, Pears, Cranberries, and all fruits and vegetables in season.**

**METROPOLITAN MEAT CO.**  
Limited

Telephone Main 45

**Stormy Weather Is Coming on And many Outdoor Sports Must be Abandoned. Why not Get a set of Table Tennis? The game affords Good sport and Plenty of Exercise. To close out the Stock we are Selling some fine Carving sets at Less than cost. Step in and see Them. Pearson & Potter Co., Ltd. 931 Fort Street.**

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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## NEWS IN A NUTSHELL

Paragraphs That Give Condensed News of the Day.

## WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Weather Bureau Office, Young Building.

Temperatures—6 a. m., 70; 8 a. m., 74; 10 a. m., 75; Noon, 76. Morning minimum, 68.

Barometer, 8 a. m., 29.76; Absolute humidity, 8 a. m., 7.672 grains per cubic foot; Relative humidity, 8 a. m., 78 per cent; Dew point, 8 a. m., 67.

Wind—Velocity, 6 a. m., 1, NE.; 8 a. m., 1, E.; 10 a. m., 7, SE.; Noon, 8, SE. Rainfall during 24 hours ended 8 a. m., three inches.

Total wind movement during 24 hours ended at Noon, 136 miles.

ALEX. McC. ASHLEY, Section Director, U. S. Weather Bureau

Notice of a lost certificate is published in this issue.

Popcorn by the wagon load or quart. Honolulu Candy Co.

Dressed dolls given away with dollar purchases at Sachs.

A road from Kaimuki to Diamond Head road is proposed.

Candy canes, rings, toys and candy fish. Honolulu Candy Co.

The S. S. China should be reported at any time from the Orient.

Climbing monkeys and balloons given away with purchases at Sachs' store.

A gentle horse, rubbered tired buggy and harness in good condition is for sale cheap.

Louis Meyer, formerly of the Advertiser, expects to start a paper of his own in Idaho.

The Criterion Saloon will serve a Christmas dinner tomorrow between 11 a. m. and 2 p. m.

Miscellaneous are damaging plate glass windows about the city by scratching marks on the glass.

Nomura was fined \$5 and costs today by Judge Whitney for the violation of a carriage ordinance.

Have your pigs and turkeys dressed and roasted by an experienced cook at the New England Bakery.

Judge Weaver of the Land Court is distributing circulars to show the advantages of a Torrens title.

We make and sell more candies than all the other candy concerns put together. Honolulu Candy Co.

A small shipment of genuine McGregor Association foot balls have been received by E. O. Hall & Son.

A special Christmas dinner will be served by the Oregon Restaurant on Monday December 26, from 4 to 9 p. m., for 35c.

A concert will be given at W. W. Dimond & Co., tonight by Solomon's famous Hawaiian quintet commencing at 7:30.

Smabey a Jap charged with selling cakes without a license, had his case continued until December 28 by Judge Whitney.

Letters were received today by the Siberia by friends, from Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Emerson. They are in England at present.

New stock of the celebrated Leonard Cleanable Refrigerators just received by H. Hackfeld & Co., Ltd. The best refrigerator made.

Quick light, clean light, light easily turned on, light easily extinguished is the incandescent electric light. Consult Hawaiian Electric Co.

J. Q. Wood, who has been here for the past month, leaves by the China. He will go at once to Paris, where his wife has engagements as a prima donna.

The Portuguese Evangelical Sunday School will have its Christmas entertainment this evening, at 7 o'clock. All friends of the Mission are cordially invited.

Rev. Arthur C. Logan, who has been in charge of the work at Palama chapel for some time, leaves by the Siberia to engage in religious work in the Philippines.

In the case of F. W. Maage against Mollie Maage Holmes & Stanley this morning filed notice this morning that they had withdrawn as counsel for the plaintiff.

"Keep The Pot Boiling" The Salvation Army will entertain the newsboys next Monday. Drop a coin in Santa Claus' kettle and help to give the boys a good time.

W. H. Hoogs and James F. Morgan sail by the Sierra next Tuesday for San Francisco on business. Mr. Hoogs will probably remain on the coast two or three months.

Treasurer Campbell, through tax Assessor Holt, is trying to hurry up the Tax Appeal Court with its belated decisions, several of which involve very large assessments.

Wo Suing Myeng a Korean, was given 10 days in jail today by Judge Whitney for begging. The defendant is the first Korean beggar brought up in the police court.

An auction sale of valuable real estate at Kaleuapalena, Kailhi will be held on Saturday January 7 at the front entrance of the Judiciary building by M. T. Simonton, Commissioner. Through an error, the arrival and departure of the S. S. Sierra was omitted from the Post Office Time Table. The vessel will be due from the Colonies on the 27th, and will sail the same day for San Francisco.

The Territorial Messenger Service will have a force of twenty boys and two delivery wagons to handle the Christmas trade. All orders placed with them will have immediate attention. M. F. Peter, Manager. Phone Main 561.

W. D. Alexander of San Francisco, a son of Dr. W. D. Alexander of Honolulu, Miss J. M. Alexander, a sister of Dr. Alexander, and Miss A. M. Alexander, daughter of the late S. T. Alexander, arrived by the Siberia this morning for a visit to the islands.

Chairman E. L. Hamilton of the Committee on Territories, House of Representatives, has written to the President of the Merchants' Association promising courtesies to George R. McClellan, the accredited representative of that body in Washington.

The grand installation banquet under the joint auspices of the three local blue lodges in masonry, will be held at the Hawaiian Hotel on Wednesday evening next. The three masters elect—J. G. Rothwell of Hawaiian, C. G. Hockus of Le Progres and C. R. Frazer of Pacific Lodge—form a committee of arrangements. Dr. C. B. Wood has been selected for toastmaster.

There has been a steady stream of callers at the McGrew residence today, offering their congratulations to the hale and hearty octogenarian. The Government Band was not sent to the residence to give a complimentary concert, as this is the regular holiday of the members of the band.

### JEFFRIES' FATHER A MISSIONARY

Rev. Alexis C. Jeffries, father of James J. Jeffries, champion heavyweight pugilist of the world, is to sail on the steamer Ventura on December 23d for Honolulu, en route to Auckland and Sydney, to preach the Gospel to the benighted inhabitants of the antipodes. He will be accompanied by Rev. James Suter, Mrs. Suter and Deacon John Crow, all of his faith. Rev. Mr. Jeffries does not deign to outline their programme, other than to say that he and his associates are bound for the Colonies on missionary work. They will occupy second-cabin rooms on the Ventura.

### LUNCH SATURDAY AT CRITERION

Christmas lunch will be served tomorrow, Saturday, at the Criterion Saloon, between 11 a. m. and 2 p. m.

## MENU.

Soup.

Consomme a la Royal.

Roast.

Stuffed young Turkey, with Cranberry Sauce.

Vegetables.

Green Peas, Mashed Potatoes.

Relishes.

Lobster Salad, Celery, Radishes.

Dessert.

Plum Pudding, Brandy Sauce.

Lunch, including refreshments, 25 cents.

The regular Criterion lunch will be continued indefinitely and patrons will be served until 2 p. m., half an hour later than heretofore.

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New England Bakery, Chas. H. Ramsay, manager, quotes a candy flyer for the Holidays; our neighbors will not appreciate this joke, but our customers will. We can not help it.

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5 lb. box, American mixed, \$1.25.

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